

U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20416

REGULATORY FAIRNESS BOARDS ANNUAL MEETING

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OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL OMBUDSMAN

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), Office of the National Ombudsman is announcing the annual board meeting of the ten Regional Regulatory Fairness Boards on Thursday and Friday, September 13-14, 2007, beginning at 9:00 a.m. As mandated by the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act (Public Law 104-121), Sec. 222 the purpose of this meeting is for the Regulatory Fairness Boards to advise the National Ombudsman on matters of concern to small businesses relating to enforcement activities of agencies and to report on substantiated instances of excessive enforcement against small business concerns, including any findings or recommendations of the Board as to agency enforcement practice or policy.

The meeting will be at the SBA Headquarters, 409 3rd Street SW, Washington, DC 20416, in the Eisenhower Conference Room, 2nd Floor. For further information, please direct inquiries to José Méndez, Event Coordinator, Office of the National Ombudsman, 409 3rd Street, Suite 7125, Washington, DC 20416, phone (202) 205-6178, fax (202) 401-2707, e-mail Jose mendez@sba.gov.

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Sincerely,

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